

FORBID THAT I should judge others, lest I condemn myself. **GIVE ME** a few friends who will love me for what I am, and keep forever burning before my vagrant steps, the kindly light of hope.

MAY I not forget that poverty and riches are of the spirit.

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CENSUS

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finer people than ours and spoke highly of them. They certainly were very conscientious in their work."

Countless Benefits

The census, which cost the city slightly more than the \$5800 originally estimated on the basis of a lower final population figure, will result in many benefits to the city.

The city receives approximately a total of \$3 per person from the state and county from gasoline and in lieu vehicle taxes. The additional population will raise Torrance's amount by about \$50,000 for the last half of this fiscal year and about \$104,000 per year thereafter.

Court House

Torrance is now eligible, too, for its own court house, having surpassed the 40,000 mark. Help in bringing a court to this city has been promised by Supervisor Burton W. Chace and Assemblyman Vincent Thomas.

The present figure will not be official until the census report has gone to Washington where the count will be tabulated once more. There is hardly ever a discrepancy to speak of, however, the city manager declared.

When asked when Torrance will have its next census, City Manager Stevens laughed, saying, "I don't know—but at the rate we're going, it won't be long!"

LET ME not feel the clamor of the world, but walk calmly in my path.

BANK

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has enabled us to do here. We want people to know, too, what the bank thinks of the future of this area. Our new bank is more than twice as large as the old quarters, has 31 teller's windows instead of our present 14, the public lobby is doubled in size, the parking lot is much larger, and all other features have been similarly expanded.

"A completely new feature is the night depository, for the use of merchants who wish to make deposits after banking hours and over week ends.

Interior

"I think the ladies especially are going to like the interior color scheme of the new building. It has been done in warm rose and sage green. The exterior is mainly in a shade the decorator called 'ashes of roses.' These modern colors are quite different from the way banks used to be done, in marble and dark panels. The front of the building features the modern trend toward much glass and white metal. There are so many beautiful things about the building that the whole staff and I are looking forward with great pleasure to showing it off and maybe bragging a little about it."

Banking service in the old quarters will end at 5 o'clock tomorrow and will begin in the new quarters Monday morning.

LIFT MY eyes from the earth, and may I not forget the uses of the stars.

Gala Ferraro Accordionists' Party Planned

Preparation to entertain approximately 1500 students of the Ferraro Accordion Center and its seven branch studios in Inglewood, Hawthorne, Manhattan Beach, Los Angeles, South Gate, Gardena and Torrance, at another "greatest of all" Christmas parties Sunday afternoon, December 20, from 2 to 5 p.m., are going forward through the large staff of teachers and studio secretaries. The event will be in the Mayflower auditorium in Inglewood.

St. Nicholas also is to distribute gifts, candies, and help with the festivities. Among invited guests are accordionists Myron Floren and Lawrence Welk, wrestler Wild Red Berry, vocalists Roberta Linn and Patricia Lynn and Eddie Johnson.

SIRENS

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It was announced by Colonel Richard F. Lynch, director of civil defense.

All of Los Angeles' 307 sirens will join in the gigantic sound-off throughout the State to signal the civil defense program in general and to acquaint the public with the full three-minute warning in particular.

"This is not a public participation test," Colonel Lynch stated, "but only a test of the attack warning system."

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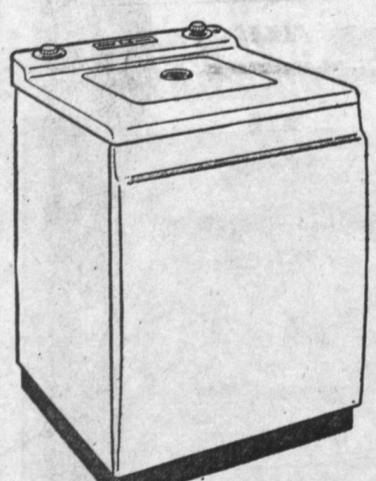


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